INTELLOFAX 6 Approved For Release 2001/03/06 CIA-RDP82-00457R009400170008-6 CLASSIFICATION SECRET/CONTROL CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY REPORT NO INFORMATION REPORT CD NO. COUNTRY Bulgaria DATE DISTR. 24 Nov. 1951 SUBJECT Military Information on the NO. OF PAGES 1 Svishtov Area 25X1A NO. OF ENCLS. DO MOT CIRCULATE SUPPLEMENT TO REPORT NO. 25X1X 1. During April 1951, 33 Infantry Regiment was transferred from Svishtov to an unknown location. An infantry battalion was transferred to Nikopol; another infantry battalion was transferred to Lovech; and a third infantry battalion was transferred either to Lom or to the Yugoslav border. These battalions were part of the regiment complement units. 2. A few days after the departure of 33 Infantry Regiment, the Military Academy from Sofia took over the evacuated barracks. Approximately 1,000 academy students were also transferred with the Military Academy. Informant heard rumors that the Military Academy would remain in Svishtov permanently. 3. In June 1951, all reserve officers in the Swishtov area were recalled to active duty for a 45-day period of indoctrination and training in the use of new Soviet weapons. 25X1A 4. that an air base is being constructed approximately 10 kilometers north of Sofia in the vicinity of Kumaritsa. Approximately 7,000 planes are to be based at this field upon completion of construction work. 25X1A from the above-mentioned friend that between 45 and 50 Trudovaks at Gorna Banya, with 4 or 5 tanks, had defected and fled to the mountains. 25X1A Document No. ___ No Change In Class. Declassified Class. Changed To: TS Auth.: HR 70,2 CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION SECRIFF CONTROL X NSRD X NAVY STATE DISTRIBUTION ARMY EV X AIR x FBI